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proximity to electric wires, work shall be scheduled in such a manner that these wires shall be de-energized during the period men are working around them. Arrangements shall be made with the Contracting Officer's representative for de-energizing such service wires and, unless otherwise specified, work requests shall be furnished by the Contractor to the Commission's Electrical Division to cover such work.

- (3) Painting, alterations, and additions to Commission facilities frequently require work to be performed in close proximity to electrical equipment and circuits within buildings. When such work, in the opinion of the Contracting Officer, requires the deenergization of circuits, arrangement for deenergizing services will be made by the Contracting Officer with the agency involved.
- (4) De-energization of circuits required in paragraphs (e)(2) and (3) of this clause shall be scheduled in such a manner that prolonged service interruptions shall be avoided.
- (f) In addition to the above, the Contractor shall:
- (1) Submit, within 30 calendar days after date of award, a written outline of his proposed safety program for the contract. The safety program shall include frequent and appropriate safety training sessions for employees as a regular and integral part of the contract activities.
- (2) Submit for approval a list of the personal protective equipment, by type and manufacturer, to be used by employees in hazardous occupations.
- (3) Confer with representatives of the Contracting Officer to discuss and develop mutual understandings relative to administration of the overall safety program.
- (g) The Contractor shall be responsible for its subcontractors' compliance with this clause.

(End of clause)

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3552.236–77 Working in Confined Spaces.

As prescribed in 3536.570(o), insert the following clause:

WORKING IN CONFINED SPACES (JAN 1990)

The Contractor shall comply with the Commission's policy regarding work to be performed in confined or enclosed spaces. This policy is set forth in a pamphlet entitled "Panama Canal Commission Confined Spaces Policy", which will be made available to the Contractor, or a prospective contractor, upon request to the Contracting Officer or his representative.

3552.236-78 Safety Sign.

As prescribed in 3536.570(p), insert the following clause:

(End of clause)

SAFETY SIGN (JAN 1990)

The Contractor shall construct a safety sign at the work site at a location directed by the Contracting Officer. The sign shall be 6 feet by 4 feet in size and shall conform to the requirements of the sketch attached at the end of these General Conditions. The sign shall be erected as soon as possible, but not later than 10 days after work is initiated at the work site. No separate payment will be made for erecting and maintaining the safety sign.

(End of clause)

3552.236-79 Protection of Material and Work.

As prescribed in 3536.570(q), insert the following clause:

PROTECTION OF MATERIAL AND WORK (JAN 1990)

The Contractor shall protect and preserve all material, supplies and equipment of every description (including property which may be furnished or owned by the Commission) and all work performed. All reasonable requests of the Contracting Officer to enclose or specially protect such property shall be complied with. If, as determined by the Contracting Officer, material, equipment, supplies, and work performed are not adequately protected by the Contractor, such property may be protected by the Commission, and the cost thereof may be charged to the Contractor or deducted from any payments due the Contractor.

(End of clause)

3552.236-80 Toilet Facilities.

As prescribed in 3536.570(r), insert the following clause:

TOILET FACILITIES (JAN 1990)

Unless otherwise noted, the Contractor shall provide and maintain adequate toilet facilities at the work site for the use of all personnel engaged in the work under the contract. The number, types and locations of such toilet facilities shall be approved by the Contracting Officer. These facilities, where connection to the sanitary sewer system is possible, will be connected and disconnected to the sewer system by the Commission at the expense of the Contractor. The toilet facilities shall be maintained by the Contractor in a clean and sanitary condition.